

Colt and Goobers Play Double-Header This Afternoon

COLTS ARE NOW FIRST IN PENNANT MARATHON

By Defeating Goobers Yesterday in First Game, Locals Now Lead Race—Second Contest Called Off Because of Rain—At It Again This Afternoon.

Richmond.	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Eberts, cf.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Strain, cf.	3	1	1	0	0	0	0
Griffin, 2b.	4	2	3	1	1	0	0
Laval, rf.	4	1	2	1	0	0	0
Raley, 1b.	4	0	1	10	0	0	0
Newton, 3b.	4	0	3	3	0	0	0
Brennan, 3b.	3	1	3	3	0	0	0
Lusky, c.	1	0	0	2	1	0	0
Burleson, p.	2	3	5	3	0	0	0
Smallwood, p.	2	0	0	0	3	0	0
Totals	31	6	13	27	12	3	3

Score by Innings:
Richmond: 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 3 6
Petersburg: 1 0 0 2 2 0 0 0 5
Summary: Two-base hits—Hedgepeth, Spencer. Three-base hit—Lusky. Stolen bases—Laughlin, Laval, Piez (3), Brennan, Barnett, Blackstone, Strain. Sacrifice hits—Burleson, Krepps. Base on balls—Off Burleson, 1; off Hedgepeth, 7. Left on bases—Richmond, 9; Petersburg, 8. Hits—Off Burleson, 9 and 5 runs; 4-1-3 innings; off Hedgepeth, 11 and 3 runs in 7-1-3 innings. Struck out—By Burleson, 2; by Hedgepeth, 3; by Smallwood, 2. Passed ball—Laughlin. Time of game—2 hours and 10 minutes. Umpire—Mr. Colgate.

BY GUS MALBERT.

In first place, and by the united efforts of Burleson, plus Smallwood, plus eight other individuals who worked hard and long to win the second game of the present series and the third of the season from Petersburg, plus the efforts of Charlie Strain. The score was 6 to 5, and not until the noontime sun had gathered oncreeping clouds was the argument settled.

Rain interfered severely with the second branch of the scheduled two-pronged Memorial Day entertainment. On schedule time the hostile warriors gathered in the yard yesterday morning for the entertainment of a not overly large gathering of fanatics. Griff was anxious to win, because he knew, as all students of statistics knew, that by winning he could occupy a point of vantage over the rest of the wage-earners in the Virginia League.

Heinte Busch was equally as ambitious. He was in first place, and by all of the rules of the game, he should have remained there. Precedent had placed him a winner of a pennant and a runner-up in a second year's race, with neither of the years in which he was building a reputation finding him as low as third place on Memorial Day.

Everything went as originally planned, excepting that Petersburg scored in the first. Richmond came back in the third and put two across, but the Goobers were not to be stopped, and they drove Burleson to the resting place in the fifth, taking a kindly liking to what he had to give and shooting two into the strong box.

When it came into the eighth. The visiting contingent had been retired by Smallwood. Luskey was up and singled. Strain, who had gone to center to relieve Eberts, was walked. Smallwood was dead on a foul to Laughlin. Griffin singled and the bases were jagged. Laval beat a scratch to the infield and waltz safe, scoring Luskey. Raley's out scored Griffin, and then Sandy Piez brought over Griffin with the winning run.

It wasn't a nice ball game. Each club was so anxious to win that fre- quently nasty plays were pulled off and charges of trying to spike players were made. The locals were lucky enough to bring around the winning tally, and

Results in Virginia League

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.
Richmond, 6; Petersburg, 5 (A. M.)
Richmond - Petersburg (P. M.)
Norfolk, 3; Portsmouth, 2 (A. M.)
Norfolk, 3; Portsmouth, 8 (P. M.)
Newport News, 9; Roanoke, 4 (A. M.)
Newport News, 5; Roanoke, 13 (P. M.)

Club.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Richmond	24	13	.649
Petersburg	22	12	.647
Roanoke	22	15	.615
Portsmouth	20	15	.569
Norfolk	11	24	.314
Newport News	8	27	.228

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.
Petersburg at Richmond.
Newport News at Roanoke.
Norfolk at Portsmouth.

thus it stands with Richmond in first place and Petersburg wondering how. Both primed for the final battle, rain stopped in and put an end to the game. It will all be settled in a double bill to-day, the first starting at 2:30 o'clock. Piez again starred yesterday with three hits and three stolen bases.

CAUGHILL WINS QUALIFYING ROUND MEMORIAL HANDICAP AT COUNTRY CLUB

Louisville, Ky., May 30.—Caughill captured the inaugural running of the Memorial Handicap at Douglas Park this afternoon. He carried the lead from the start, and catching the feet-footed Round the World, tying in the final sixteen, outgamed the Yankee crack when it came to a drive.

Round the World headed the procession to within a few feet of the winning wire, where she tired unexpectedly, thus allowing Caughill to get up in time to snatch the purse, which was worth \$2,500 to the winner.

Backers of Caughill received the very generous odds of 12 to 1 for their money.

After her long shot to catch the judges' eye, she was ridden by the judge, who was riding the horse, was Frances M. at odds of better than 13 to 1. Birman, the supposed good thing in this affair, quit when collared in the stretch, and finished outside the money.

Results:
First race—five furlongs, purse—Black Bob, 109 (Ganze), \$4.20, first; Kiva, 98 (McDonald), \$12.50, second; Dr. Samuel, 107 (Buxton), \$4.80, third. Time, 1:01 2-5. Father Riley, Bolter, Raoul, Marta Mac, Lamb's Tail and David Craig also ran.

Second race—five furlongs—Frances M., 112 (Buxton), \$12.00, first; Harwood, 115 (Peak), \$10.00, second; Bushy Head, 98 (McDonald), \$5.60, third. Time, 1:01. Charles Cannell, Violet May, Kornaga, Irish Anna, Eustace, Cauton, Ruffles and Birdman also ran.

Third race—six furlongs—Theresa Gill, 95 (Martin), \$7.20, first; Kiva, 98 (McDonald), \$11.00, second; Amoret, 117 (Buxton), \$4.80, third. Time, 1:12 3-5. Caesar Brook, Helene, James Dockery, Coppertown, Wilhite, Chapultepec, Little Baker, Sir Marion and Lady Lad also ran.

Fourth race—Memorial Handicap, \$2,000 added, six furlongs—Caughill, 126 (Teahan), \$28.70, first; Round the World, 114 (Borel, Field), \$8.90, second; Azayade, 102 (Mugrave), \$11.50, third. Time, 1:12. Sonada, Grover Hughes, Impression, High Private, Jim Basley, Presumption Bea, Bolen Barbee, Little Father, Sebago and McCorkle also ran.

Fifth race—handicap, mile and a sixteenth—Foundation, 150 (Mugrave), \$9.05, first; Flora Fina, 103 (Taplin), \$6.70, second; Miss Thorpe, 107 (McCabe), \$2.40, third. Time, 1:44. No other entries.

Sixth race—three-year-olds, mile and sixteenth—Strong, 98 (Martin), \$6.40, first; Harry Lauder, 105 (Mugrave), \$5.20, second; Prospect, 98 (Callahan), \$5.40, third. Time, 1:46. Al Bloch, Imen, Billy Holder, Guide Post, Carpathia and Fallowman also ran.

DAUBERT, STAR OF BROOKLYN TEAM



Jake Daubert, the greatest first baseman in the National League, has been one of the biggest factors in the remarkable success of the Brooklyn team this year. His playing at the initial bag has been an inspiration to his teammates, who, fired by his dashing play, have been setting a pace to warm for the opposing teams to follow. Daubert is one of the surest batters on the team, and is the idol of the Brooklyn fans.

TARS AND PIRATES HAVE EVEN BREAK

Morning Game Goes to Norfolk, While in Afternoon Portsmouth Finishes Ahead.

Norfolk, Va., May 30.—Norfolk and Portsmouth broke even in the two games played in the latter city to-day. In the morning game Saxo outpitched Herbert, and the Tars ran bases well. Munday got his usual home run over the short left field fence, scoring one of the two runs made by his team.

The Pirates expect to sell this hard hitter to either Detroit or Washington. Both teams are after him, and he may be sold before the end of the present season.

MORNING GAME.							
Norfolk.							
Long, cf.	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Kircher, lf.	4	0	1	3	0	0	1
Schrader, 1b.	4	0	2	0	0	1	0
Jenkins, 3b.	4	2	1	13	0	0	0
Keller, rf.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Venable, 2b.	4	0	0	2	3	0	0
Whitecraft, ss.	3	0	0	1	5	0	0
Kunkle, c.	2	0	0	2	2	0	0
Saxe, p.	4	0	1	6	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	6	27	18	1	1

PORTSMOUTH.							
Tennant, lf.	A.	B.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Carter, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Munday, 1b.	3	1	2	11	0	0	0
Powell, 3b.	2	0	0	2	4	0	0
Cook, ss.	4	0	0	2	2	0	0
Evans, 2b.	4	0	0	1	2	0	0
Boyd, cf.	4	0	2	1	0	1	0
Garvin, c.	3	0	0	7	2	0	0
Herbert, p.	2	0	0	0	5	0	0
Totals	30	2	5	27	15	1	1

Score by Innings:
Norfolk: 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 3
Portsmouth: 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 2
Summary: Two-base hits—Jenkins. Three-base hits—Munday. Home runs—Munday. Stolen bases—Howell (2), Venable, Tennant (3), Munday. Double plays—Howell to Schrader; Venable to Venable to Schrader; Venable to Venable to Schrader.

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RACING RETURNS TO GOTHAM TOWN

30,000 Watch Return of Sport of Kings to Metropolitan Track.

WHISK BROOM IS FAVORITE OF DAY

Left at Post, Sturdy Son of Broomstick Overcomes Good Field and Lands First in Metropolitan Handicap—Veteran Joe Natter Sits Astride Popular Choice.

Belmont Park, N. Y., May 30.—To the accompaniment of "Auld Lang Syne," preceded by the music in the bandstand and hummed by 30,000 persons, racing returned to New York to-day after three long years.

Through the mud and spray of the stands, men were enthusiastically shaking hands with one another. While the brilliantly turbaned and silk swathed shoulders of crouching jockeys bobbed, the hand kept tight on playing "Auld Lang Syne," while the sopranos and basses hummed ancient airs.

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ROANOKE LANDS FIRST IN BOTH

First One Is Shut-Out Contest, While Second Proves Hitting Engagement.

Roanoke, Va., May 30.—Roanoke won both games—the morning game by the shutout route, with Efrid going at top speed, while Kull was hit when they counted, together with his wildness.

As the thin line of horses streamed through the mud and spray of the stands, men were enthusiastically shaking hands with one another. While the brilliantly turbaned and silk swathed shoulders of crouching jockeys bobbed, the hand kept tight on playing "Auld Lang Syne," while the sopranos and basses hummed ancient airs.

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SEVENTY-NINE STAY FOR FINISH OF MEET

Harvard, Cornell, Dartmouth, Yale and Pennsylvania Lead in number of Contestants—Californians Shut Out in Hammer-Throw. Dartmouth Picked as Winner.

Boston, May 30.—Seventy-nine of the many hundred men representing twenty-eight institutions, who competed in the Harvard and Shattuck, after in the preliminaries of the intercollegiate athletic championship meet, remain for the finals to-morrow, and a spectacular and record-breaking meet is expected. Of the seventy-nine, Harvard has twelve, Cornell, ten, and Dartmouth, Yale and Pennsylvania nine contestants each.

It came as a surprise that Shattuck and Cornell, who were shut out in the hammer throwing and that Norman Taber of Brown, was scratched in the half-mile. Lippincott and Patterson of Pennsylvania, were the best of the sprinters. In the quarter-mile, Hart and Jensen of Michigan, took the prize of Pennsylvania, were the best of the sprinters. In the quarter-mile, Hart and Jensen of Michigan, took the prize of Pennsylvania, were the best of the sprinters. In the quarter-mile, Hart and Jensen of Michigan, took the prize of Pennsylvania, were the best of the sprinters.

The weather is perfect for both the athletes and spectators, and the track is in the best condition for fast performance.

DOUBLE BILL GIVEN AT BALL PARK TO-DAY

Interference of Yesterday Will Be Atoned for When Goobers and Colts Mix in Double Affray This Afternoon—Burleson Is Suspended.

BY GUS MALBERT.
Said Dr. Lee to Mr. Busch, "They gave you one almighty push."
Said Mr. Busch to Dr. Lee, "They slipped a Strain or two on me."

Which is a partial explanation of why Dr. Lee, president of the Cockade City Baseball Corporation, and Henry Busch, manager of the Petersburg baseball club, did not ride back on the same trolley car last night. Richmond had not only returned from Roanoke in second place, after a too long sojourn in third place, but likewise dislodged the prides of Peanutville from the topmost rung of the standing ladder and occupied the place, a crime punishable by any means extant where the proper Goober spirit is implanted. Up to yesterday the Colts had been able to gain just two victories out of seven starts against Petersburg. Closing Memorial Day, when rain prevented the second conflict, the count stands three for Richmond and two for Petersburg.

After it was all over, and Busch had grabbed his bats, and had issued street car tickets to his employees, it was decided that a double bill would be offered to-day. The first encounter will be started at 2:30 o'clock, and the second immediately thereafter. To get Richmond out of first place, the Goobers will be compelled to win both. Jim Vanhook, who finished the final rounds yesterday, and Richmond will be the selections at the points for Petersburg. Griff has decided upon Ayers for the first and Charlie Strain for the second. Both should be able to return a proper report at the finish.

Oscar Burleson, whose front name has been missing from the reports up until now, because it is Oscar, has asked that he be suspended for a few weeks until he gets in condition. He is leaving at once for his home in Tennessee.

That's a straightforward statement, it relieves everybody's mind, and shows that Steve is going to do it. It is possible in this ballwalk to maintain a winning aggregation.

Petersburg is about to unload another prospect on Washington. Spencer has been let go, and Mike Kahoe was here yesterday and will be here today to watch Hedgepeth. Washington is anxious for a left-hand pitcher. Hedgepeth is expected to fill the bill.

HILTON WINNER FOR FOURTH TIME IN NEW YORK MEET

St. Andrew's, Scotland, May 30.—Harold H. Hilton, of the Royal Liverpool golf club, to-day won for the fourth time the British amateur championship, defeating Robert Harris, of Scotland, 6 up and 5 to play over the thirty-six-hole course. This is the first time in twelve years that a person representing England has contended with a Scotchman in the final round.

The interest in the tournament was materially lessened yesterday when W. Heinrich Schmidt, of Worcester, Mass., was defeated by Hilton by one stroke at the nineteenth hole.

McGuire's Has Clear Claim.
Sporting Editor of The Times-Dispatch:—Sir: A few days ago, in the middle of a game between John Marshall High School and McGuire's, a statement was made which might lead to some misunderstanding. The statement gave the impression that the High School had won first place in the prep. school league, and there was some talk about the High School playing Benedictine College for the championship of the city. As a fact, McGuire's did lose one game to High School, but had previously won two games, which puts them ahead of the High School. McGuire's has also won three out of five games between Richmond Academy and two out of two from Benedictine College, so it is clearly seen that no other team has a claim to the preparatory school championship of the city.

MANAGER HASBELL TEAM.
McGuire's University School.
The system was thus explained by an expert:

"A tout in the employ of the bookmaker will circulate about, and approach a man anxious to make a bet. In casual conversation the would-be better will be asked his preference and the odds he considers equitable. Then the tout, after writing down the prospect's name, address and occupation, will convey his 'friend' to his bookie-employer and introduce them. The bookie will propose an oral bet on the horse previously mentioned.

"Under the Shane case decision the bookie has a perfect right as the man proposing the wages to make a written note of it. Of course, there will be a great deal of confusion before this scheme is properly worked out. But in time each bookmaker will build up his coterie of 'friend' customers, and the 'welchers' will be known and wedded out."

Postpone Wrestling Bout.
The wrestling bout between Joe Turner and Young Olson for the middle weight championship of the United States, scheduled at Broad Street Park for last night, was postponed, on account of the heavy rain, until next Tuesday night, June 3.

The two wrestlers will continue their training, and will be in at shape for the bout next week.

Duffy Wins Marathon.
Yonkers, N. Y., May 30.—James Duffy, running for the Eaton Athletic Association, of Toronto, Ont., won the twenty-five mile Marathon race in the finals of the third annual tournament of the women's Southern Golf Association. The count was one up.

Mrs. C. F. Meehan, of Montgomery, Ala., won the final round of the second championship figure mentioned.

Mrs. A. B. Newell, of Nashville, won the consolation championship.